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EARL J MAC LEOD
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For: SET OF PROFILED SANDING PADS

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FEE CALCULATION: No Additional Fees Due. Upon entry of the below amendment, the total number claims will be 20 or less, and the number of independent claims will be 3 or less.

## <u>AMENDMENT</u>

Responsive to the Office Action mailed September 27, 2002, please amend the application as follows:

## REPLACEMENT PARAGRAPH(S), SECTION(S) AND CLAIM(S):

## In the Claims:

1. A set of profiled sanding pads for use in special automotive and other body work applications, the set of profiled sanding pads comprising:

a plurality of elongate members, each of said elongate members having a distinctive configuration;

said elongate members including main member, said main member having a sanding side and a mounting side;



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